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All right, title, and interest in the above-identified patent application has been assigned to Display Edge Technology, Ltd., from the inventors, Jonathan M. Hager; Kenneth W. Kayser; Kenneth M. Kiplinger; and Timothy B. Honeck, by the Assignment filed in the above-identified application (a copy of which is attached hereto).

The undersigned, as President, COO of Display Edge Technology, Ltd., has reviewed the evidentiary documents for the above-identified patent application and hereby certifies that to the best of his knowledge and belief, all right, title, and interest in and to the above-identified application is in the name of Display Edge Technology, Ltd., the party seeking to take this action.

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WHEREAS, Jonathan M. Hager, of the City of Roanoke, and State of Virginia; and Kenneth W. Kayser, of the City of Roanoke, and State of Virginia; Kenneth M. Kiplinger, of the City of Tipp City, and State of Ohio; and Timothy B. Honeck, of the City of Brentwood, and State of Tennessee invented certain new and useful CONSUMER SHOPPING TOOL TO AUGMENT RETAIL SALES (Docket No. 444800-032) for which I/we executed an application for letters patent of the United States;

AND WHEREAS, **Display Edge Technology**, **Ltd.**, a corporation of the State of Ohio, with a place of business at 2730 Indian Ripple Road, Dayton, Ohio, hereinafter called the Assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the inventions therein disclosed and any letters patent that may issue thereon;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I/we hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and any divisions or continuations thereof, and the inventions therein disclosed, and any improvements thereon, and any patent or patents that may be issued or reissued thereon, and I/we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue any letters patent thereon, and reissues thereof, to said Assignee, its successors and assigns; and I/we hereby authorize said Assignee, its successors and assigns, to file in its own name applications for patent in foreign countries in commection with the inventions hereby transferred, under the International Convention claiming the priority of said United States application or otherwise, and to secure in its own name the patent or patents issued thereon; and I/we hereby agree that, upon request, I/we will sign all papers, and make all rightful oaths, and do all acts which said Assignee, its successors or assigns, may consider necessary in connection with said United States application, and in connection with any other United States or foreign applications that may be filed in connection with said inventions, and with any improvements thereon, and in connection with any patents issued or reissued thereon.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 6 day of FEBRUARY, 2001.
Jonathan M. Hager
COUNTY OF ROANOKE) ss
On this oday of which, 2001, before me a Notary Public in and for the above County and State, personally appeared the above named Jonathan M. Hager, personally known to me, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing assignment as a free act and deed for the purpose herein set forth.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this fray of Fund , 2001. Kenney W. Kayser
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On this day of , 2001, before me a Notary Public in and for the above County and State, personally appeared the above named Kenneth W. Kayser , personally known to me, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing assignment as a free act and deed for the purpose herein set forth.
Notary Public

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this 14 day of February , 2001. STATE OF OHIO

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SS JAMES E. MARIK, Notary Public In and for the State of Ohio My Commission Expires Jan. 4, 2005 On this // day of February, 2001, before me a Notary Public in and for the above County and State, personally appeared the above named Kenneth M. Kiplinger, personally known to me, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing assignment as a free act and deed for the purpose herein set forth. Novary Public Mauh IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this day of testing, 2001. Timothy B. Honeck STATE OF Tennessee)
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On this 22nd day of throng, 2001, before me a Notary Public in and for the above County and State, personally appeared the above named **Timothy B. Honeck**, personally known to me, and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing assignment as a free act and deed for the purpose herein set forth.

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